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Sent: Wednesday, March 21, 2018 12:46 PM
To: Pavitt, John; Dean Ehlert; Joseph.Otero@deq.idaho.gov;
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Cc: Ball, Stephen
Subject: RE: Additional Asbestos Test Results, Overland Ave, Burley, ID

John,

If you'd like us to go back out and check on things, let us know. I will be going through Burley next Wednesday on my way to a training so it would be easy to swing by and check on it then.

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Tiffany, thank you for checking. I'm disappointed to hear water is still not being sprayed on the debris, and that and fence is not yet up.

Yesterday, I called the City Water Dept, and they told me they approved the owner's request to use water at the site, which can be accomplished by connecting a frost-free hydrant to the existing water meter. Once connected, the city will run over and activate the water supply to the meter.

The owner told me last Friday that a fence would be up Tue or Wed this week. Today is Wednesday.

I should also let you know that the neighboring business reported to me yesterday they've seen people rummaging through the debris and taking bricks away.

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John,

Joe and I went by the demolition site in Burley this morning. We took some photos which should be available at this link: <https://cloud.deq.idaho.gov/s/nxGdw3o3CP8SG2c>
If you have trouble accessing them, please let me know.

The site looked very similar to our last visit. There do not appear to have been any further attempts to limit public access or limit dust. The same cones and bits of caution tape were in place, but there was no fencing. I also did not see any sprinklers, hoses, or other evidence it had been watered.

Please let Joe or I know if there are any questions or things we can assist with on our end.

Thank you,

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To: Dean Ehlert; Tiffany S. Bowman; Joe Otero; Mollie Mangerich
Subject: RE: Additional Asbestos Test Results, Overland Ave, Burley, ID

Hi Dean. Would you like to gather for a conference call this week? When I last checked in with Mollie on Friday, we thought that would be helpful as things roll along.

Let me know if you need any further information.

Thanks,

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Subject: RE: Additional Asbestos Test Results, Overland Ave, Burley, ID

John,

Thank you for the sampling update on the demo debris in Burley. This is a good example of why commercial building should be surveyed by certified consultants prior to demolition/disposal.

Thanks,
Dean

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Subject: Additional Asbestos Test Results, Overland Ave, Burley, ID

I am sending this to give you an update on Sample Results – Burley, ID

Asbestos consultant, Idaho Abatement and Insulation, sent me the attached results today. They show asbestos is in the demo debris pile and also in the gravel pit, similar to my sample results.

Notes:

Asbestos was found in:

- Spray-on texture at the demo site (2 samples, brown and gray texture, each with 2 varieties of asbestos)
- Multi-layer roofing at both the demo site and gravel pit (black tar/mastic, roofing paper and mastic)

The lab report doesn't make statements as to whether the material is friable or nonfriable. We can interview the consultant to ask them about what they determined, or possibly the lab. But, in my experience spray-on texture is a friable material, so that's Regulated Asbestos Containing Material (RACM) under the NESHAP.

The roofing paper I sampled from both locations was friable and therefore RACM. (Samples BD1 was negative and GP4 was 35% asbestos). The roofing paper sampled by the consultant was 50% asbestos.

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Hi John,

Please see the attached Lab Sample results. There were 5 samples that came back containing asbestos.

Thanks

Bev

On Tue, Mar 20, 2018 at 11:40 AM, Pavitt, John <Pavitt.John@epa.gov> wrote:

Bev Pratt

Idaho Abatement and Insulation

Hello Bev. I am sending this email to request asbestos sampling results from the demolition of two buildings located on the 1200 block of Overland Ave., Burley, ID. I spoke with the property owner, Mr. Brian Tibbets, this morning and he said that Idaho Abatement and Insulation collected 28 samples, and 4 were positive for asbestos. I called you this morning and you confirmed that Idaho Abatement and Insulation collected samples, from both the demolition site and from a pit where debris was dumped.

Please send me your sample results.

I've cc'd Brek Pilling on this email because my understanding is that he hired your firm, and therefore he is your client.

Thank you,

John Pavitt

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